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TITLE Variable Rate Message Coding

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Specification
4 Informal Sheets of drawings


| CLAIMS AS FILED | | | | |
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| | NO. FILED | NO. EXTRA | RATE | CALCULATIONS |
| Total Claims | 48 - 20 = | 28 | x \$18 = | \$504 |
| Independent Claims | 9 - 3 = | 6 | x \$78 = | \$468 |
| Multiple Dependent Claims, if applicable | | | + \$260 = | \$0 |
| Basic Fee | | | | \$690 |
| | | | TOTAL FEE | \$1662 |

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